

RESOLUTION CM-14-11

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENTION TO PROCEED
UNDER THE ALTERNATIVE TAX DOCUMENT FORMAT PROVIDED UNDER
SECTION 5705.281 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE**

WHEREAS, Section 5705.281 of the Ohio Revised Code authorizes and empowers a county budget commission, by an affirmative vote of a majority of its members, including an affirmative vote by the auditor of the county, to waive the requirement that a taxing authority of a subdivision or other taxing unit adopt a tax budget, as is provided under Section 5705.281 of the Ohio Revised Code, and require such taxing authority to provide such information as may be required by the commission to perform its duties under Chapter 5705 of the Ohio Revised Code, including dividing the rates of each of the subdivision's or taxing unit's tax levies as provided under Section 5705.04 of the Ohio Revised Code; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms and provisions of Section 5705.281 of the Ohio Revised Code, the Miami County Budget Commission, by an affirmative vote of a majority of its members, including an affirmative vote by the Auditor of Miami County, Ohio, has authorized and permits the taxing authority of a subdivision or other taxing unit within Miami County, Ohio, to refrain from adopting a tax budget, and has designated the information which the said Budget Commission requires of each taxing authority of a subdivision or other taxing unit to permit the Budget Commission to perform its duties under Chapter 5705 of the Ohio Revised Code; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire and intention of the Council, as the taxing authority of the Municipality of West Milton, to elect to refrain from adopting a tax budget for the fiscal year 2015 and, in the alternative, to submit to the Budget Commission the information and documents which it has indicated will be necessary in the absence of such adoption; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Municipality of West Milton, Miami County, Ohio, that:

SECTION I: The Council of the Municipality of West Milton hereby declares its intention to proceed under the alternative tax document format provided under Section 5705.281 of the Ohio Revised Code, and refrain from the preparation of a tax budget for the fiscal year 2015 and

SECTION II: The Council of the Municipality of West Milton hereby authorizes and directs its Chief Fiscal Officer to prepare and submit to the Miami County Budget Commission such information and documents as are necessary to said process and submission, and to take such other actions as may be reasonably necessary incident thereto; and

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SECTION III: The Council of the Municipality of West Milton hereby finds and determines that all deliberations and actions related to the foregoing were affected in open and public session and in full compliance with Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code, and otherwise as is provided by law.

Passed this _____ day of _____ 2014

Michael Coate, II, Mayor

ATTEST:

Linda L. Cantrell, CAP/OM
Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Lenee' Brosh
Law Director